

A RESOLUTION

BY FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT THE USE OF A 2003² DODGE RAM 1500 SLT TRUCK FROM THE UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS (USMC) FOR THE EXCLUSIVE USE BY THE CITY FOR A TWO (2) YEAR LEASE PERIOD; TO PROVIDE FOR THE TERMS OF THAT ACCEPTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. **02- -1727**

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Atlanta attended the Annual Meeting for the United States Conference of Mayors in June, 2002; and

WHEREAS, at the Annual Meeting, the Mayor won the use of a 2003² Dodge Ram 1500 SLT Truck for the exclusive use by the City of Atlanta for a two (2) year lease period; and

WHEREAS, the vehicle will be made part of the City's fleet to be utilized as necessary and appropriate; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, that the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to accept the use of a 2003² Dodge RAM 1500 SLT Truck from the United States Conference of Mayors;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Atlanta agrees to the conditions of winning the vehicle and shall insure that all conditions are met. To wit:

To indemnify, defend and hold harmless the United States Conference of Mayors and its employees and agents against all claims, losses or damages to persons or property, governmental charges or fines and costs (including reasonable attorney fees) arising out of or connected with the use of the leased vehicle 2003 Dodge RAM 1500 SLT, VIN# 3D7HA18N12G211136, except those claims arising out of the sole negligence or willful misconduct of USMC;

The City shall provide insurance for the leased vehicle and shall furnish a Certificate of Insurance to USMC; and

The City shall be responsible for all repairs, maintenance and excessive wear and use fees; and

The truck shall be returned to the USCM two (2) years from the executed date of the lease agreement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Mayor or her designee be and is hereby authorized to enter into an appropriate agreement for the lease of the vehicle, which shall be approved as to form by the City Attorney.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the vehicle shall be solely for governmental purposes during the time of its possession and control by the City of Atlanta.